

**REMARKS**

Applicants thank the Examiner for courtesies extended during a telephone call on August 19, 2004. The Examiner indicated to the Applicants representative that the Supplemental IDS filed May 10, 2004 was in fact considered in this case. The Examiner indicated that an initialed copy of the Supplemental IDS would be provided in the next action.

A second Supplemental IDS is also with this response. It contains several references cited in the European Search Report of a related case. The search report was mailed by the Office to the undersigned on August 26, 2004 and an IDS filed concurrently with this amendment is therefore timely.

I. Claim Status

Claims 1-54 are pending. Claims 3 and 4 have been cancelled without prejudice. Claims 2, 6, 8-47, 48-50 and 51 have been amended. Claim 1 has been amended to incorporate the definitions for M and S found in original claims 2 and 4. Claim 2 has been amended to incorporate the general Formula I from original claim 1 and the definitions for L and S from original claims 3 and 4. Claims 1 and 2 have further been amended to include pharmaceutically acceptable salts and solvates. Support for this amendment comes from the specification as filed at page 1 lines 7-8, page 16 lines 31-34 and page 17 lines 1-2. Claim 6 has been amended to correct an obvious typographical error. Claims 8-47 have been amended to add the phrase "and pharmaceutically acceptable salts thereof." Support for this amendment can be found in the specification as filed at page 1 lines 7-8, page 16 lines 31-34 and page 17 lines 1-2. Claim 48 has been amended to now recite the definitions for M and S found in original claims 2 and 4. Claims 49 and 50 have been amended to correct a now incorrect dependency. Claim 51 has been amended to now refer to method using a compound according to claim 2 instead of a compound according to Formula I. No new matter has been added by these amendments.



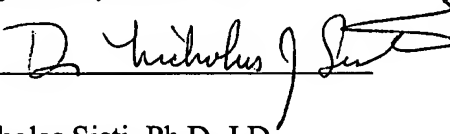


Conclusion

It is believed that the application is now in condition for allowance. Favorable action is earnestly solicited. If the Examiner believes a telephonic interview would expedite the prosecution of the instant case, she is invited to call the applicants representative whose contact information appears below.

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